WHEREAS, The National High School Rodeo Association has chosen Huron, South Dakota, as the site for the National High School Rodeo finals to be held on July 31 - August 6, 1978; and,

WHEREAS, The National High School Rodeo Association is in its twenty-ninth year as an organization; and,

WHEREAS, National High School Rodeo competition has served as a training ground for some of the great rodeo cowboys and cowgirls in the last quarter century; and,

WHEREAS, High School Rodeo competition provides the vehicle for the teaching of good sportsmanship to youth, and at the same time teaches them the basic skills of rodeo competition, and responsibility, and care and training of their stock; and,

WHEREAS, Over 1200 contestants from the ages of fourteen to eighteen years will be competing in our State; and,

WHEREAS, There will be forty-nine youth from South Dakota competing with young people from twenty-nine States and two Canadian Provinces; and,

WHEREAS, High School Rodeo is not only a proving ground for these young people, but gives them the opportunity to meet other young competitors from all over the United States and Canada:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week of July 31 - August 6, 1978, as

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in South Dakota, and urge all South Dakotans to attend one or more of the thirteen slated performances and support the National High School Rodeo Association in its endeavors to work with and help the young people of South Dakota and the Nation through rodeo competition.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Sixth Day of July, In the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-Eight.

ATTEST:

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

CORNA B. HERSETH, SECRETARY OF STATE

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